

THE VAAL HAS BEEN CROSSED

Roberts' Army Now Encamped on the North Bank—The Casualties Were But Four.

BURGHERS ON THE FENCE.

Kruger Issued a Proclamation, Asking if They Desired Peace—They are Trekking Homeward.

LONDON, May 27.—The war office has received the following from Lord Roberts:

"VEREENING, Sunday, May 27, 1:50 p. m.—We crossed the Vaal this morning and are now encamped on the north bank. The advance troops which crossed yesterday, were only just in time to save the coal mines, both on this and the other side of the river, from being destroyed. Our casualties were four.

"Baden-Powell reports that the railway line between Mafeking and Bulawayo has been restored and that supplies are being brought into Mafeking. He says the Canadian artillery joined Colonel Plumer from Beira with incredible rapidity.

"Lieutenant Webber was taken prisoner at Heilbron a few days ago. He went there on telegraph duty. It was not known that our troops had been temporarily withdrawn."

TRANSVAAL HILLS

Sighted by the British—Latter are Marching Rapidly Northward.

GROOTVIER, (Twenty-three Miles South of Vereeniging), Sunday, May 27.—Lord Roberts' northern advance force steadily continues and to-day the Transvaal hills were sighted. General French has secured an excellent flanking position on the northwest. There is something irresistible about this advance. The troops have been splendidly handled and the Boers, completely out-manoeuvred, have been forced to abandon their positions at the first appearance of the British flanking force, which has made a determined resistance at the Vaal impossible.

Burgers Trekking Homeward.

Many Transvaal Burgers are now trekking homeward and it is safe to say that the most irreconcilable Transvaaler at last recognizes the hopelessness of the struggle. Most of the farms in the northern part of the Free State, where the ties of blood with the Transvaal are strongest, have been deserted. This section has been flooded with false tales of British cruelty, reports of the burning of farm houses and the eviction of women and children. In the hope of inducing the Burgers to remain with the commandos, but the evidence all points now to the existence of a permanent feeling of enmity between the Transvaalers and the Free Staters, each accusing the other of treachery and cowardice.

It is regarded, as unlikely that the Transvaal government will go to Lydenburg, where food is scarce. A body of Boers mostly on foot, is trekking hard towards Vereeniging from the direction of Heilbron.

British in Good Condition.

The condition of the British troops continues excellent, although the cold nights are very trying. They are able to march three miles an hour.

The Boers have destroyed every bridge and culvert. They are said to regard Kipriverberg, north of the Vaal, as a position of great strength and talk of making themselves impregnable there.

It is reported that the population of Johannesburg is in a high state of excitement. The Boers who are passing through northward threaten to blow up the mines and in view of their wanton destruction of everything else it would not be surprised if they carried out the threat.

The British are more interested, however, in grazing and in the water supply than in the mines.

Will They Accept Peace.

LONDON, May 27.—President Kruger, according to a special dispatch from New Castle, has issued a proclamation, asking the Transvaal Burgers to notify him whether they desire to continue the fight or to sue for peace.

NEWS FROM ROME

Expected Soon Concerning the Vacant See—Struggle Over Succession to Late Bishop Watterson.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Important advices from Rome are expected soon, concerning the vacant sees of Columbus, Dubuque and Port Wayne, over the appointment of whose bishops there is the usual friction. When Bishop Watterson, of Columbus, died thirteen months ago, it was generally supposed by the priests of that jurisdiction that the vacancy would be filled in a short time, but on account of the differences that have arisen over the claims of Mr. Thomas Thorpe, of Cleveland, and Dr. Henry Mueller, secretary of the Cincinnati arch-diocese, to the succession, no appointment has yet been made. It is learned, however, that the authorities in Rome favor the latter priest, who received his theological training there and is still comparatively a young man. Rev. Dr. Roeker, of the episcopal legation in this city, knows Dr. Mueller well, but, by reason of the antagonism against his appointment from certain quarters, he is not over-anxious as to that candidate's selection.

Compromise Candidate Probable.

Both Archbishop Martinelli and Dr. Roeker would not be surprised if a compromise candidate, acceptable to the prelates of the Cincinnati province

and the priests of Columbus alike, was chosen at the forthcoming consistory. As regards the vacant archdiocese of Dubuque, whose last incumbent died three months ago, similar dissatisfaction exists, which serves to retard his successor's appointment. The leading candidates embrace Archbishop Keane, of the Catholic University here, Bishop Cosgrove, of Davenport, Iowa, a suffragan prelate of Dubuque, and Father Carroll, of the same city. It has long been tacitly understood among the American hierarchy that the first vacancy of this kind would be given to Archbishop Keane, whose present title of "Archbishop of Damascus," is only an honorary distinction, but the German priests of Dubuque are opposed to his selection.

SUN'S ECLIPSE

Will be Watched by President McKinley and His Party in Hampton Roads.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 27.—President McKinley and party arrived in Hampton Roads, off Old Point, about 2 o'clock this afternoon, on the dispatch boat Dolphin. On her arrival, the Dolphin circled around the battleship Kearsarge, which was anchored in the Roads, and afterward cast her anchor not far from the Chamberlain hotel. None of the members of the presidential party came ashore this afternoon.

Secretary Gage and a party of friends arrived at Old Point this morning on the light house tender Holly, which tied up at the government pier near the Hygeia hotel.

Speaker Henderson and several members of the house reached Old Point last night. The total eclipse to-morrow morning has attracted more guests to the hotels at Old Point than they have had at any one time for years. Over a thousand more persons are expected on the boats arriving early to-morrow morning from Washington and Baltimore. The President and his party will witness the eclipse from the deck of the Dolphin.

THERE'LL BE NO CLOUDS

To-day to Prevent the Sight of the Eclipse.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27.—The following special sun "eclipse" weather bulletin was issued by Chief Moore to-day:

"The weather map this morning gives practically sure indications that the entire line of the eclipse will have clear weather. The presence of an anti-cyclonic system covering the whole South Atlantic states insures light variable winds, moderate temperatures and a uniform decrease in the vertical gradient. Probably no eclipse ever occurred under finer seeing conditions than will exist to-morrow."

FOUR NEW BISHOPS

Consecrated by the Laying on the Hands—Service Brief and Simple. "Holy Men" Warmly Congratulated.

CHICAGO, May 27.—By the laying on the hands of twelve bishops and in the presence of 8,000 persons at the Auditorium, four new bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church were consecrated this afternoon. The newly consecrated bishops are: David Hastings Moore, assigned to the Shanghai district; John William Hamilton, assigned to the San Francisco district; Edwin Wallace Parker and Frank Wesley Warne, missionary bishops, assigned to India and Malaysia.

The ceremonies were brief and simple. The delegates to the conference and hundreds of their friends came forward when the services were at an end, and crowded the stage to congratulate the four new bishops.

Consecrated Four Bishops.

On the stage were seventeen bishops, the four bishops-elect and eight elders. After an organ prelude, Bishop Bowman led in the singing of "Heralds of the Cross." The audience then recited the creed and Bishop Joyce led in prayer. Bishop McCabe led in singing "The Minister's Only Business," the collect was recited by Bishop Fitzgerald, the epistle by Bishop Hartzell and the gospel by Bishop Thoburn. Bishop Bowman, who was presiding, then advanced and stood in front of Bishop-elect Moore. The latter stood up with Elders I. C. Arbuckle and A. J. East, who announced:

"We present unto you this holy man to be consecrated a bishop." The same ceremony was gone through with by Elders W. F. Warren and M. C. B. Mason for Bishop-elect Parker, and Elders P. H. Swift and Julius Smith for Bishop-elect Warne. Bishop Fowler arose, after this ceremony, and read a call to prayer, which was followed with a prayer by Bishop Vincent. The examination and invocation were by Bishop Andrews, the four answering the questions as to the work they are to perform.

Recited "Veni Creator Spiritus."

The "Veni Creator Spiritus" was recited by Bishop Warren, the audience chanting the responses. Bishop Cranston followed with a prayer and then Bishops Merrill, McCabe and Cranston arose and stood in front of the Rev. Mr. Moore, who knelt at the bench with the elders on either side of him. The three bishops placed their hands on his head and recited the prayers of consecration. Bishop-elect Moore was then handed a new Bible. Those who performed the ceremony for Bishop-elect Hamilton were Bishops Mallalieu, Walden and Warren; for Bishop-elect Parker, Bishops Foss, Hurst and Thoburn; for Bishop-elect Warne, Bishops Ninde, Goodsell and Hartzell. The latter two were consecrated missionary bishops for work in India and Malaysia. A prayer of thanksgiving was said by Bishop Goodsell and the choir sang "Te Deum Laudamus." The closing benediction was pronounced by Bishop Merrill.

PURE OIL COMPANY

Formed by a Combination of Several Independent Concerns.

TOLEDO, O., May 27.—The Producers' Oil Company, the Producers and Refiners' Oil Company, the United States Pipe Line Company, and the Pure Oil Company have formed a combination under a single head. It will be known hereafter as the Pure Oil Company. The Producers Oil Company was capitalized at \$500,000, and the others ranging from a half million to a million dollars. The new organization, it is understood, is capitalized at \$5,000,000.

OUR CUBAN OFFICIALS MISTREATED

By Certain American Newspapers. Army Officers Prove They do Not Live in an Extravagant Way.

EXPENSES MUCH GREATER

Than When at Home—No Scandal Will Appear in Any Other Departments.

HAVANA, May 27.—American officials here feel that they have been unjustly treated by certain newspapers in the United States, which have published the sweeping statement that they all live extravagantly. Army officers point out that if they have to live in cities their expenses are much greater than when at home. Moreover very few care to risk the health of their families by keeping them in Cuba during the summer. Thus two establishments are necessary. As their duty compels them to remain in a tropical climate they feel that the United States government, like other governments under similar conditions, should pay additional stipends.

So far as the officers of high rank are concerned, it should be pointed out that General Wood occupies only a small portion of the palace for residential purposes, the rest of the building being utilized not only for the divisional offices, but also for all the municipal offices. A number of employees have to be kept at General Wood's expense—cleaners and helpers generally—and he says that if he did not have some private resources to eke out his pay and his allowances it would be next to impossible for him to live in the palace at all.

Live in Humble Abodes.

Collector Bliss lives quietly in a single room at the hotel Telegrafo, going to and returning from his office in a hired vehicle of the most ordinary description. Major Ladd, chief quartermaster, lives at El Vedado, in a house which he shares with three other families. General Lee lives at headquarters at Odeumades, where do all of his staff officers who are unmarried. General Wilson, governor of Matanzas-Santa Clara lives in a house for which he pays a small rental.

Col. Whiteside at Santiago, lives in a little wooden bungalow, formerly occupied by General Wood and leased from Mrs. Ramsden, wife of the former British consul. General Humphrey, Colonel Black, Major Scott, Captain Pitcher and many officers live in buildings used by the government either as offices or police barracks. General Wood, when asked to-day what he thought of such charges, replied that he considered charges of extravagance in departments, except the postal unfounded, adding that he believed no other department had anything to fear on that score and that all could endure the closest investigation possible.

Loose Methods of Spanish Rule.

A postal official who has been in the island more than a year, says that when the Americans first came there was no records and no furniture even; that Spanish postmasters, the only ones who knew anything about the service, could not be employed because of the cry, "Cuba for the Cubans," and that consequently the service had to be built up upon practically no foundation at all. He also points out that Cuban postmasters were found very difficult to teach. The loose methods of former Spanish times have been carried on, at some points even to the present day. One feature that enabled C. F. W. Neely to divert funds in a fashion exceedingly difficult to detect was the custom of many postmasters to pay cash for all stamps taken from the department, while there was no rule for keeping books of account. As a result the inspector had no way of ascertaining how many stamps had been sold, and the statement of Neely, if in collusion with the postmaster, would tally with the latter's statement.

This official believes that when all the books and papers have been investigated the shortage will not amount to over \$100,000. It is probable, however, that \$20,000 more have been taken, which cannot be traced. His estimate is consequently a mere surmise.

FUNSTON JUSTIFIED

In Having Two Zambales Executed. Still Fighting the Insurgents—Manila Enjoying Peace.

MANILA, May 27.—Scouting, some engagements and the capture of arms and prisoners continue daily in Northern Luzon. Last week's operations by the Ninth, Twelfth, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-sixth regiments, resulted in the killing of forty-five of the enemy, the taking of 180 prisoners and the capture of 300 rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

Col. Edward E. Hardin, with three companies of the Twenty-ninth regiment and blue jackets, from the gunboat Helena, landed at Palenog, Masbate island, under the enemy's fire, routed the insurgents and after an engagement lasting half an hour occupied the town, without casualties.

The insurgents' commander, with twenty officers and 230 men, surrendered on May 20, giving up a hundred rifles. An impressive scene occurred on the plaza when the prisoners were disarmed and liberated. The islanders were found suffering from lack of food, owing to the blockade and the Ameri-

can authorities are endeavoring to relieve them.

Peace Reigns in Manila.

Peace reigns and no trouble is expected in Manila, although the city is crowded with people from the provinces who are leaving the unprotected hamlets in order to avoid the conscription which the insurgent leaders are enforcing, as well as robbery and outrages at the hands of roving insurgents and bandits.

The investigation of the charge against Brigadier General Frederick Funston of having summarily executed two natives in the province of Zambales has resulted in a discontinuance of the proceedings. It developed the fact that General Funston caught the natives in the very act of murdering Macabebes scouts, his action in view of the circumstances, being regarded as justifiable.

DEMOCRAT WIGWAM

At Parkersburg About Completed. Holt and McGraw Secure Headquarters.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 27.—The wigwams in which the Democratic state convention will meet on a week from next Tuesday, is about finished and will be given over to the decorating committee during the next few days. It is a plain wooden structure, situated upon the corner of Harris and Seventh streets, in the resident section of the city, and will probably hold about 1,000 persons.

Judge Holt and John T. McGraw have secured a suite of seven rooms at the Jackson hotel for the Holt headquarters, and the headquarters of James M. Miller, candidate for auditor, will be at the Blennerhassett. Neither Tavenner nor Flournoy's headquarters are yet announced.

Judge Holt arrived here yesterday afternoon, and last night held a long conference with Senator Camden, George I. Neal, of Huntington; Dr. Rowe, John M. Hamilton and others, the result of which did not develop.

FAMILY IN PRISON

Because Both Father and Mother Wanted the Child.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 27.—As Clinton Butcher, of Vigo, Ohio, stepped off a train from the east here to-night, he was arrested on the charge of abduction by a woman who claimed to be his wife.

It is alleged that the couple recently separated, each taking a child, the man remaining in Ohio, and the woman going into Doddridge county. Yesterday the man, who claims his wife was neglecting the child she had taken, quietly went to West Union and abducted the little one.

The mother, who soon learned of the abduction, jumped on the train her husband had boarded, and came here with him, passengers who heard her story taking up a collection and paying her fare. Butcher was committed to a hearing, and as the authorities would not take the child from him, Mrs. Butcher and the little one are also passing the night in prison.

DELEGATES SELECTED

In Tyler-Lincoln District Elects Representative Republicans.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

SISTERSVILLE, W. Va., May 27.—At the Olston opera house yesterday, a largely attended and thoroughly harmonious convention was held by the Republicans of Lincoln district, to select delegates to the state and congressional conventions. Following are those chosen:

State Delegates—Dr. H. G. Meek, P. O. Shanor, C. F. Horsford, H. B. Shriver, Charles Schuchbach, John Parker and James Comady.

Congressional Delegates—W. L. Armstrong, A. Cutter, Lee Villiers, George E. Work, T. H. Bunting, C. R. Kerr and W. C. Grimes.

The delegates to the state convention will vote for James K. Hall for auditor, and the congressional delegates are for Capt. B. B. Dovenor.

FALSE ARREST

Charged by the Friends of Kiser, the B. & O. Cashier.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 27.—The failure of the prosecution to answer at the preliminary examination of T. M. Kiser, the alleged defaulting cashier of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad here, has emboldened his admirers to proclaim false arrest and to make various threats. It is alleged that, although the prosecution believed they had a good case, they preferred to strengthen it before appearing in court and it is now understood that the evidence will be submitted to the grand jury by Prosecuting Attorney Laird, who desires that the matter shall be fully ventilated.

Will Have a "Wheeling Day."

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 27.—Unless all signs fail, the street fair and carnival, which begins here to-morrow morning, will be a great success. The opening day will be known as "West Virginia day"; Tuesday will be known as "Board of Trade day"; Wednesday as "Wheeling and Grafton" day, and so on through the week, each day being given up to some special town or number of towns.

Postoffice Burns.

JAMESTOWN, Pa., May 27.—Fire this morning destroyed ten or twelve frame buildings here, including the postoffice and its contents. Loss, \$40,000.

Herr Suedekum Victorious.

BERLIN, May 27.—The result of the bye election at Nuremberg is the return of the Socialist candidate, Herr Suedekum, by a large majority.

REFUSED ADMISSION TO AMERICA.

Irish Invincibles Recently Released From Prison for Complicity in the Phoenix Hotel Murders

NOT PERMITTED TO LAND.

Came Over to Recuparate They Claim. Case Probably be Appealed to Authorities in Washington.

NEW YORK, May 27.—James Fitzharris, alias "Skin-the-Goat," and Joseph Mullett, the Irish Invincibles, who were recently released from prison in Ireland, where they were sentenced for complicity in the Phoenix Hotel murders of 1882 were to-day ordered excluded by the board of special inquiry at the immigration station, and ordered deported.

The exclusion was made under the interpretation of the law which forbids any one being admitted to this country who has been adjudged guilty of a felony, crime, infamous crime or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude.

The two men were recently pardoned by Earl Cadogan, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, from a sentence of life imprisonment, and reached this city among the steerage passengers on the Lucania on Saturday last.

Ordered Back to Ellis Island.

After a conference with Commissioner Fitch the men were ordered back to Ellis Island to await the action of the board of special inquiry. This board was composed of William Weisha, chairman; H. H. Molter, James A. Toner and Major Charles S. Seney.

The two men were taken before the board, on Ellis Island, this morning. The inquiry was secret. The only one at the barge office to meet the two men, and who showed any interest in their behalf was "Rocky Mountain" O'Brien.

After the meeting of the board it was learned that Fitzharris was the first of the two examined by the members. He admitted he had served nearly seventeen years in prison. After being asked the usual questions as to his age, nativity and residence, Fitzharris was asked of what crime he had been convicted he answered: "Treason."

Offered Ten Thousand Dollars.

He was then questioned as to this charge, and he told the board that he had been arrested about nine months after the famous Phoenix Hotel murders, in company with twenty-three others. These twenty-three were accused of having been accessories after the fact, while Fitzharris was charged with having been an accessory before the fact. Three months later he was brought to trial, with others of the accused. Five of them were sentenced to be hanged, and Fitzharris was sentenced to penal servitude for life.

While telling his story to the board, Fitzharris declared that at the time of his trial he was offered \$10,000 by the English government if he would turn informer against the other members of the band. This he refused to do, and of his life sentence he served about seventeen years in the Mount Joy, Chatham Down St. Patrick and Marybone prisons. Eight months ago he was pardoned.

Had a Small Sum When Landed.

Fitzharris said that he and Mullett had about \$25 between them when they reached this port.

Fitzharris asserted that while he was on British soil he was compelled to report to the police every month as to his doings and whereabouts.

"I came to this country," he added, "because I want a chance to rest and recuperate. I wanted to stay here about three months and then go back to my family."

Mullett indignantly refused to answer any of the questions put to him by the board. He declared he was not being accorded proper treatment by the government. His examination lasted only a short time, as he would not respond to questions. The men were then sent to the "excluded pen."

The case will probably be appealed to the authorities at Washington, and if not, Fitzharris and Mullett will leave this port on Saturday next on the Lucania.

AGED COUPLE

Engaged Seventy-one Years Ago, Will Now Marry.

TOLEDO, May 27.—August Croft, aged 86 years, and Miss Kate Putnam, aged 83, will be married at South Bloomfield, Monday evening. The wedding party will be a large one, but no one whose age is less than 60 years has been invited. At the age of 15 and 17 they were devoted lovers, but did not become formally engaged until January 3, 1830. Neither the bride or groom to be has ever married.

Editors See the Falls.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 27.—The members of the West Virginia Editorial party who were visiting Buffalo, went to the Falls to-day as guests of the Pan-American exposition management. To-morrow they will visit the exposition grounds and return home in the evening.

Mrs. Howe's Birthday.

BOSTON, May 27.—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe celebrated her eighty-first birthday in excellent health. She was overwhelmed with flowers and telegrams of congratulation.

Baltimore in Darkness.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 27.—The city is in almost total darkness, owing to the strike of the three hundred employees of the United Railways and Electric Company.

"DIAMOND SWALLOWER"

Under Arrest in Germany—Stole Half a Million Dollars' Worth of the Gems.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The Chicago police say that a man under arrest in Leipzig, Germany, on the charge of stealing \$15,000 worth of diamonds, is Charles Woodward, alias Williams, alias Anderson, alias Wright, who has been absent from Chicago for nineteen years. Woodward was known as one of the cleverest thieves in the world, and has earned the cognomen of "The Diamond Swallower" through repeated acts of that kind in order to escape conviction. He has stolen half a million dollars' worth of diamonds, and has served nearly twenty years in jails and penitentiaries in this country and in Europe.

Celebrated Over the World.

In the sixty years of his life, Woodward has become celebrated all over the world for his panchant for stealing diamonds. His arrest in Germany occurred four weeks ago, and came to the notice of the Chicago authorities in a letter to Superintendent George Portous of the national bureau of identification, in which the chief of police of Berlin said that he had in custody two men, charged with the theft of \$15,000 worth of gems in Leipzig.

One of them gave the name of Edward Morton, the other James Hawkins. The letter was accompanied by pictures of the men and their Bertillon measurements. Superintendent Portous says "Morton" is Charles Woodward and "Hawkins" is John Hawkins, who is wanted in Pittsburgh on the charge of stealing several hundred dollars' worth of precious stones.

Swindled Out of a Fortune.

The letter from Berlin said the men had been in Leipzig but a short time when they swindled a merchant of that city out of a fortune in diamonds by pretending to be wealthy travelers, who wanted to settle in that country, and wished to invest their money in diamonds. They induced their victim to bring the gems to a hotel, and took the swindlers only a short time to part him from them. They were getting ready to leave the city when they were arrested.

FOREIGN TROOPS

Will be Sent to China to Protect the Legations.

PEKIN, May 27.—The diplomatic corps have decided to ask the Tsung-li-Yamen (Chinese foreign office) to define explicitly the measures which the government intends to take in dealing with "boxers."

Reports received to-day indicate that affairs around Pekin are extremely critical, owing to the defeat of the government troops by the "boxers." It is now regarded as certain that foreign troops must be sent to Pekin to protect the legations, while the withdrawal of missionaries from the interior is considered imperative.

Large portions of the provinces of Pe Chi Li and Shan Tung are in a state little better than absolute anarchy, and disorder is spreading in the province of Shan-Si in consequence of the encouragement received from the empress dowager.

Donnelly Defeated by Lynch.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 27.—Returns received by the canvassing board of the International Typographical Union indicates now that Donnelly is defeated by Lynch for president by from four to five thousand. For first vice president, the returns received are not sufficient to decide the result, so close is the race between Hayes and Hawkes. It will require the official vote to decide. The indications are that if there is any difference it is in favor of Mr. Hawkes, of Chicago.

"Military Governor" Captured.

CHICAGO, May 27.—William H. Niles, "military governor of the District of Lake Michigan," and five members of his "army of invasion," captured on the north shore, have been formally charged with violation of the laws of the state of Illinois, the ordinances of the city of Chicago and the ordinances of Lincoln Park.

Colored Pugilist Killed.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 27.—Eddie Teabout, the colored pugilist who was taken to the Bridgeport hospital in an insensible condition last Friday night as the result of a blow received during a boxing match with William Forsyth, died to-day without regaining consciousness. Forsyth is in jail.

Arthur Behan Dead.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Arthur Behan, brother of Miss Ada Behan and Mrs. Oliver Doud Byron, died yesterday, in Brooklyn, aged thirty-eight years. He had managed many of Augustin Daly's road companies.

FloHla on the Rhine.

BERLIN, May 27.—The torpedo FloHla is now proceeding slowly down the Rhine and will arrive at Rotterdam on June 9.

Movements of Steamships.

NEW YORK—Arrived: La Touraine, Havre; City of Rome, Glasgow.

Weather Forecast for To-day.

For Ohio, Showers and thunder storms Monday, cooler in southeast portion. Tuesday fair; fresh southerly winds, becoming variable. For western Pennsylvania, showers and thunder storms Monday, cooler in southern portion. Tuesday, fair and fresh southerly winds, becoming variable. For West Virginia, Partly cloudy Monday, probably thunder storms and cooler in northwest half in the afternoon or evening. Tuesday, partly cloudy, probably showers in southeast half; southerly winds, becoming variable.

Local Temperature.

The temperature Saturday as observed by C. Schmitt, druggist, corner Market and Fourth streets, was as follows: 7 a. m. 62.3 p. m. 64. 8 a. m. 63. 10 a. m. 64. 12 m. 65. SUNDAY. 7 a. m. 63. 9 a. m. 64. 11 a. m. 65. 12 m. 66. Weather Fair.